## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: SPRINGSTEEN et al

Application No.: 10/659,745

Filed: September 1, 2003 For: REFERENCE STANDARD AND METHOD FOR CALIBRATION Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment

Art Unit: 2878

Examiner: F.S. Polyzos

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Atty.'s Docket: SPRINGSTEEN=1

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Confirmation No.: 3465 Date: November 23, 2005

Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building, 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a REPLY AMENDMENT AND REMARKS in the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)
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TOTAL	* 19	MINUS	** 20	0
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	SMALL ENTITY			
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	х	25	\$	
	x	100	\$	
	+	180	\$	
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- If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
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[XX] Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

lt is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1,136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1,17 is calculated as shown below:

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	[ ] Third - \$ 510.00	[ ] Third - \$ 1020.00	
	[ ] Fourth - \$ 795.00	[ ] Fourth - \$ 1590.00	
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[ ]	A check in the amount of \$ is attached (check no. ).		
[XX]	overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and requ	tional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any test is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, includin s also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR	

ing any §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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## REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2005, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.